

AMENDMENTS

In the Specification:

Please replace the abstract of the application with the following replacement paragraph:

A liquid oral medication dispensing system ~~comprised of~~ made up of an ampule configured to hold a pre-measured quantity of the selected medication and to dispense that quantity of oral medication through an opening in the ampule formed by a puncturing device. This dispensing system provides a system for storing and delivering oral medications that can be utilized in a broad variety of circumstances by individuals with little or no medical training and provides safe, effective use of the medication.

Please replace paragraph 24 of the application with the following replacement paragraph.

[024] In the preferred embodiment, the expulsion of medication through the opening 16 is enhanced by the inclusion of a quantity of an expelling material 50. In the preferred embodiment this is simply a quantity of air that is included within the ampule 12 and is configured to increase the efficacy of expelling material out of the ampule 12. Depending upon the specific medications that are utilized, an additional rupturable membrane 30 may be required to separate the expelling material 50 from the remainder of the medications that are held in the ampule.